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I, Rolf Günter Erich Stegelmann, hereby declare that:

1. I am a co-inventor of the invention described and claimed in U.S. Patent Application 10/081,079, filed on February 21, 2002, entitled "Evaluating Expressions in Stored Procedures;"

2. During all of the dates covered by this DECLARATION, I was employed by NCR Corporation (NCR), the assignee of the invention, and primarily worked out of the NCR facility located at 100 North Sepulveda Boulevard, El Segundo, California 90245;

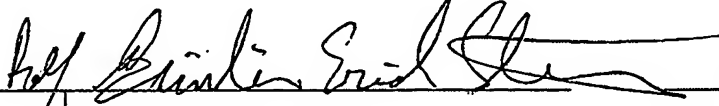
3. The invention claimed in the above patent application was incorporated as a feature into Version 2, Release 4.1, of NCR's Teradata database product ("Teradata"), as

evidenced by page 9 of a company document entitled "Teradata V2R4.1, General Overview," the relevant portions of which are provided in Appendix A;

4. The invention claimed in the above application was reduced to practice as part of feature integration testing associated with the development of V2R4.1 of Teradata on or before March 9, 2001, as evidenced by the table on page 15 of a company document entitled "Teradata V2R4.1.0, Development Readiness Assessment 3, Development Phase," the relevant portions of which are provided in Appendix B;

5. All statements made of my knowledge are true and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and

6. I understand that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and may jeopardize the validity of this application or any patent issuing thereon.

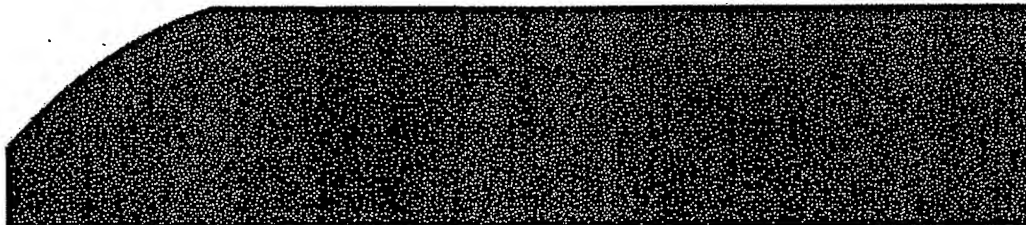
  
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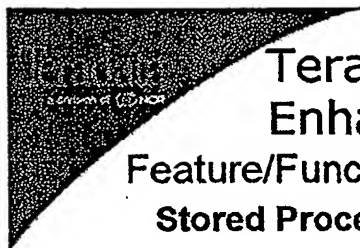
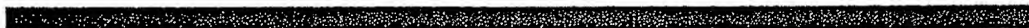
## Appendix A



# Teradata V2R4.1 General Overview

**Teradata**  
a division of  NCR

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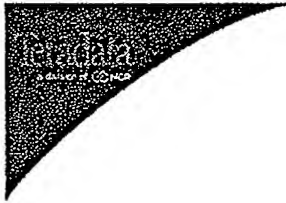


## Teradata @ctive Warehouse Enhancements

### Feature/Function:

#### Stored Procedure Enhancements

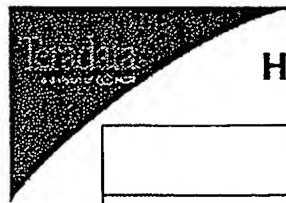
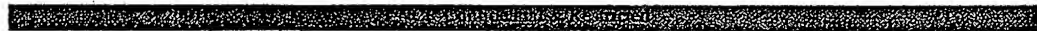
- SQL Data Definition Language (DDL)
- SQL Data Control Language (DCL)
- CASE and REPEAT-UNTIL statements.
- Dynamic SQL statement support
- Recursive stored procedures
- A generic condition handler can be declared in the SPL source text to handle completion conditions other than successful completion.
- Performance enhancements to Stored Procedures include:
  - Localized expression evaluation to reduce processing time for SET statement & conditional expressions.
  - Object code caching to enhance the performance of Stored Procedures that are executed repeatedly.

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**Teradata V2R4.1.0  
Development Readiness Assessment 3  
Development Phase**

**Presentation to the  
Development Readiness Council (DRC)**

**July 23, 2001**



**High Level Development Milestones**

<b>Key Milestones</b>	<b>Commit Date</b>	<b>Actual Date</b>
<b>Feature Integration Test Begin</b>	<b>05/15/00</b>	<b>05/15/00</b>
<b>Feature Integration Test Complete</b>	<b>02/02/01</b>	<b>03/09/01</b>
<b>Information Products Complete</b>	<b>06/15/01</b>	<b>07/13/01</b>
<b>Product Integration Begin</b>	<b>02/02/01</b>	<b>03/26/01</b>
<b>Product Integration Complete</b>	<b>05/18/01</b>	<b>06/29/01</b>
<b>Product Certification Complete</b>	<b>06/08/01</b>	<b>07/27/01 P</b>
<b>SIT Stabilization Begin</b>	<b>03/19/01*</b>	<b>03/26/01</b>
<b>SIT Stabilization End &amp; Production Begin</b>	<b>06/29/01*</b>	<b>06/29/01</b>
<b>DRA2</b>	<b>04/27/01</b>	<b>06/01/01</b>
<b>Controlled Deployment Begin</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>N/A</b>
<b>Controlled Deployment End</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>N/A</b>
<b>SIT Production End</b>	<b>07/27/01*</b>	<b>07/27/01 P</b>
<b>DRA3</b>	<b>06/29/01</b>	<b>07/23/01</b>

\* Committed at TW6.1 PA1 on 2/22/01

